

It has become appallingly obvious that our technology has exceeded our humanity.  
Albert Einstein 1879 - 1955

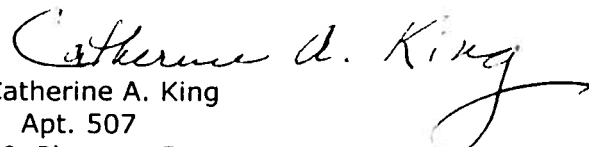
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I am **opposed to the sale of the Catholic Hospitals** of the Archdiocese of Boston because the **conscience protections** for doctors, nurses, medical staff and patients will vanish. It is NOT medical progress – and certainly not medical *care* – to kill innocent, defenseless preborns in the womb or to allow passive euthanasia at places intended to promote and protect life. **We need these Catholic hospitals now more than ever.**

Too late we learn that the efforts of generations of nurse nuns – who worked for board, room and pocket change, quite like those nun who staffed the grammar and high schools – were really a gift to this Commonwealth and the nation.

  
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